

**DAMAGE SURVEY REPORT (DSR)**  
**Emergency Watershed Protection Program – Recovery**

**Section 1A**

Date of Report: 03/03/2006

DSR Number: 011-05-015R Project Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**NRCS Entry Only**

Eligible: YES ☒ NO ☐  
Approved: YES ☒ NO ☐  
Funding Priority Number (from Section 4) 2d0  
Limited Resource Area: YES ☐ NO ☒

**Section 1B Sponsor Information**

Sponsor Name: Beauregard Parish Police Jury

Address: P.O. Box 310

City/State/Zip: DeRidder, Louisiana 70634

Telephone Number: (337) 462-0675

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 1C Site Location Information**

County: Beauregard

State: Louisiana

Congressional District: \_\_\_\_\_

Latitude: 30.75712

Longitude: -093.53965

Section: 36 Township: 3S Range: 12W

UTM Coordinates: \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage Name: Merryville

Reach: 1025LF

Damage Description: Debris accumulation in channel from Hurricane Rita.

**Section 1D Site Evaluation**

All answers in this Section must be YES in order to be eligible for EWP assistance.

Site Eligibility	YES	NO	Remarks
Damage was a result of a natural disaster?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Recovery measures would be for runoff retardation or soil erosion prevention?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Threat to life and/or property?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Event caused a sudden impairment in the watershed?*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Imminent threat was created by this event?**	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
For structural repairs, not repaired twice within ten years?**	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Site Defensibility</b>			
Economic, environmental, and social documentation adequate to warrant action (Go to pages 3, 4, 5 and 6 ***)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Proposed action technically viable? (Go to Page 9 ***)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Have all the appropriate steps been taken to ensure that all segments of the affected population have been informed of the EWP program and its possible effects? YES ☒ NO ☐

Local Parish has Been Consulted.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Statutory

\*\* Regulation

\*\*\* DSR Pages 3 through 5 are required to support the decisions recorded on this summary page. If additional space is needed on this or any other page in this form, add appropriate pages.

### Section 1E Proposed Action

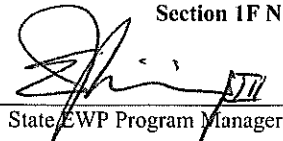
Describe the preferred alternative from Findings: Section 5 A:

Remove debris from channel accessing from on side. Debris will be removed by hauling, chipping, or burning.

Total installation cost identified in this DSR: Section 3: \$ 18,832.50

### Section 1F NRCS State Office Review and Approval

Reviewed By:

  
State EWP Program Manager

Date Reviewed: 3/20/06

Approved By:

\_\_\_\_\_  
State Conservationist

Date Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signing this form indicates the sponsor concurs and agrees to provide the regional cost-share to implement the EWP recovery measure(s) determined eligible by NRCS under the terms and conditions of the program authority. Failure to provide a signature will result in the applicant being unable to apply for or receive a grant the applicable program authorities. Once signed by the sponsor, this information may not be provided to other agencies. IRS, Department of Justice, or other State or Federal Law Enforcement agencies, and in response to a court or administrative tribunal.

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**Section 2 Environmental Evaluation**

2A Resource Concerns	2B Existing Condition	2C Alternative Designation			
		Proposed Action	No Action	Alternative	
		2D Effects of Alternatives			
<b>Soil</b>					
<b>Water</b>					
<b>Downstream water rights</b>					
<b>Air</b>					
<b>Plant</b>					
<b>Animal</b>					
<b>Other</b>					

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**Section 2E Special Environmental Concerns**

Resource Consideration	Existing Condition	Alternatives and Effects		
		Proposed Action	No Action	Alternative
Clean Water Act Waters of the U.S.				
Coastal Zone Management Areas				
Coral Reefs				
Cultural Resources				
Endangered and Threatened Species				
Environmental Justice				
Essential Fish Habitat				
Fish and Wildlife Coordination				
Floodplain Management				
Invasive Species				
Migratory Birds				
Natural Areas				
Prime and Unique Farmlands				
Riparian Areas				
Scenic Beauty				
Wetlands				
Wild and Scenic Rivers				

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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**Section 2F Economic**

**This section must be completed by each alternative considered (attach additional sheets as necessary).**

	Future Damages (\$)	Damage Factor (%)	Near Term Damage Reduction
Properties Protected (Private)			
15 1000sqft homes			
Properties Protected (Public)			
Business Losses			
Other			
Total Near Term Damage Reduction \$			
Net Benefit (Total Near Term Damage Reduction minus Cost from Section 3)			

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 2G Social Consideration This section must be completed by each alternative considered**

**(attach additional sheets as necessary).**

	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
Has there been a loss of life as a result of the watershed impairment?			
Is there the potential for loss of life due to damages from the watershed impairment?			
Has access to a hospital or medical facility been impaired by watershed impairment?			
Has the community as a whole been adversely impacted by the watershed impairment (life and property ceases to operate in a normal capacity)			
Is there a lack or has there been a reduction of public safety due to watershed impairment?			

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

DSR NO: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 2H Group Representation and Disability Information**

**This section is completed only for the preferred alternative selected.**

Group Representation	Number
American Indian/Alaska Native Female Hispanic	
American Indian/Alaska Native Female Non-Hispanic	
American Indian/Alaska Native Male Hispanic	
American Indian/Alaska Native Male Non-Hispanic	
Asian Female Hispanic	
Asian Female Non-Hispanic	
Asian Male Hispanic	
Asian Male Non-Hispanic	
Black or African American Female Hispanic	
Black or African American Female Non-Hispanic	
Black or African American Male Hispanic	
Black or African American Male Non-Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Female Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Female Non-Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Male Hispanic	
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander Male Non-Hispanic	
White Female Hispanic	
White Female Non-Hispanic	
White Male Hispanic	
White Male Non-Hispanic	
Total Group	

Census tract(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: 15 units are at risk, according to census data computations there are approximately 2 per household which means 30 people would be directly impacted. The remaining census data shows those who would be effected by flooding, over city roads.

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Section 2I. Required consultation or coordination between the lead agency and/or the RFO and another governmental unit including tribes:

Easements, permissions, or permits:

Mitigation Description:

Agencies, persons, and references consulted, or to be consulted:

DSR NO: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 3 Engineering Cost Estimate**

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**This section must be completed by each alternative considered (attach additional sheets as necessary).**

Proposed Recovery Measure (including mitigation)	Quantity	Units	Unit Cost (\$)	Amount (\$)
Total Installation Cost (Enter in Section 1F)\$				

Unit Abbreviations:

AC	Acre	LS	Lump Sum
CY	Cubic Yard	SF	Square Feet
EA	Each	SY	Square Yard
HR	Hour	TN	Ton
LF	Linear Feet		Other (Specify)

DSR NO: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Section 4 NRCS EWP Funding Priority

Complete the following section to compute the funding priority for the recovery measures in this application (see instructions on page 10).

Priority Ranking Criteria	Yes	No		Ranking Number Plus Modifier
1. Is this an exigency situation?				
2. Is this a site where there is serious, but not immediate threat to human life?				
3. Is this a site where buildings, utilities, or other important infrastructure components are threatened?				
4. Is this site a funding priority established by the NRCS Chief?				
<b>The following are modifiers for the above criteria</b>			<b>Modifier</b>	
a. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve federally-listed threatened and endangered species or critical habitat?				
b. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve cultural sites listed on the National Register of Historic Places?				
c. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve prime or important farmland?				
d. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve existing wetlands?				
e. Will the proposed action or alternatives maintain or improve current water quality conditions?				
f. Will the proposed action or alternatives protect or conserve unique habitat, including but not limited to, areas inhabited by State-listed species, fish and wildlife management area, or State identified sensitive habitats?				

Enter priority computation in Section 1A, NRCS Entry, Funding priority number.

Remarks:

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### Section 5A Findings

**Finding: Indicate the preferred alternative from Section 2 (Enter to Section 1E):**

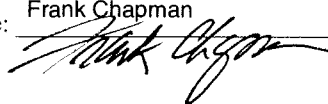
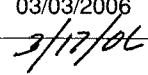
Remove debris from the channel accessing from one side. Debris will be removed by hauling, burning, or chipping.

*I have considered the effects of the action and the alternatives on the Environmental Economic, Social; the Special Environmental Concerns; and the extraordinary circumstances (40 CFR 1508.27). I find for the reasons stated below, that the preferred alternative:*

- ☒ Has been sufficiently analyzed in the EWP PEIS (reference all that apply)  
Chapter 5.2.2.1.2.  
Chapter \_\_\_\_\_  
Chapter \_\_\_\_\_  
Chapter \_\_\_\_\_  
Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ May require the preparation of an environmental assessment or environmental impact statement.  
The action will be referred to the NRCS State Office on this date:

NRCS representative of the DSR team

Title: Frank Chapman Date: 03/03/2006  
 

**Section 5B Comments:**

**Section 5C**

  
Sponsor Concurrence:

**Sponsor Representative**

Title: Parish Manager Date: 3-17-06  

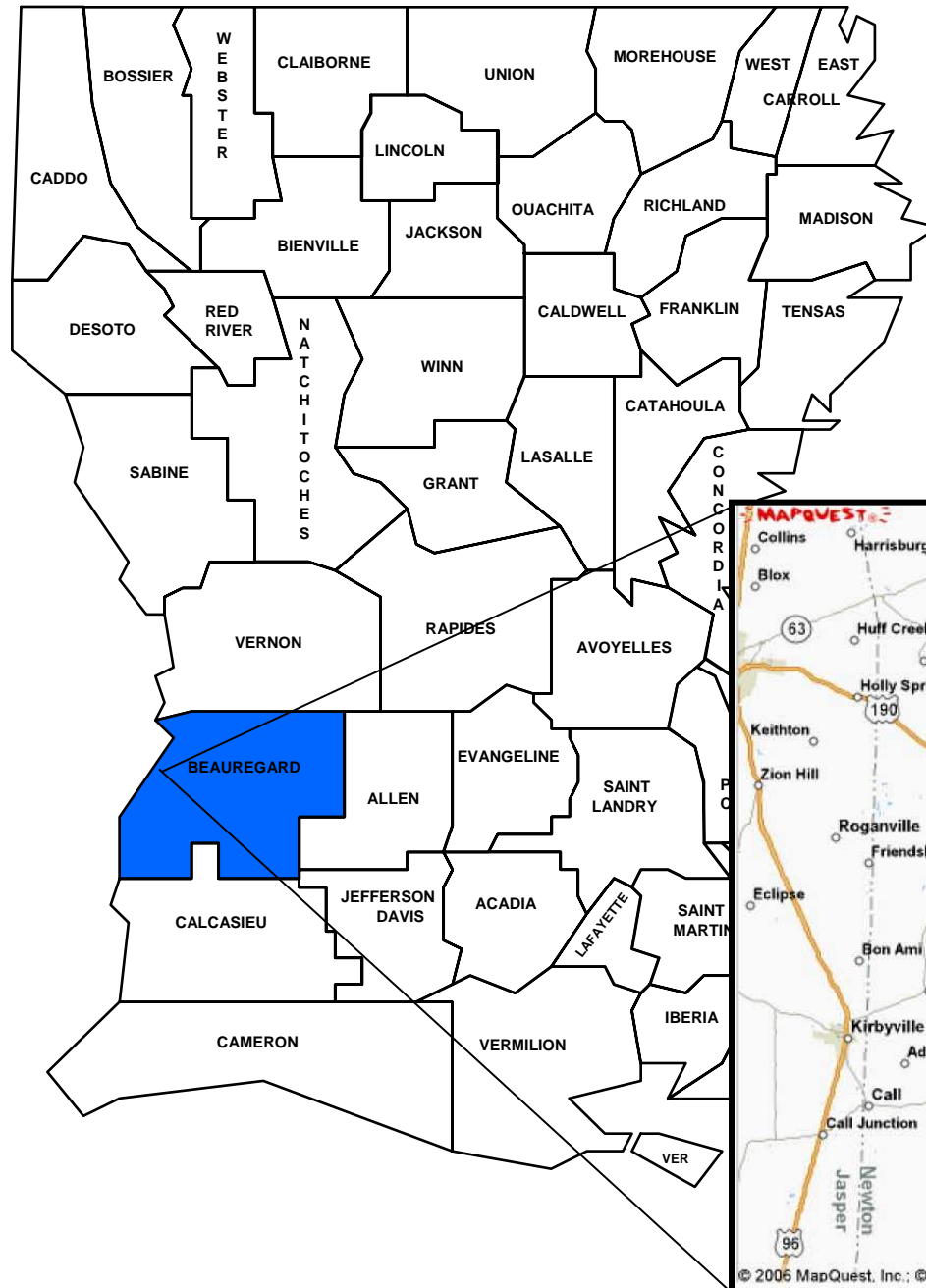

**Section 6 Attachments:**

- A. Location Map
- B. Site Plan or Sketches
- C. Other (explain)

## SECTION 6

### ATTACHMENTS



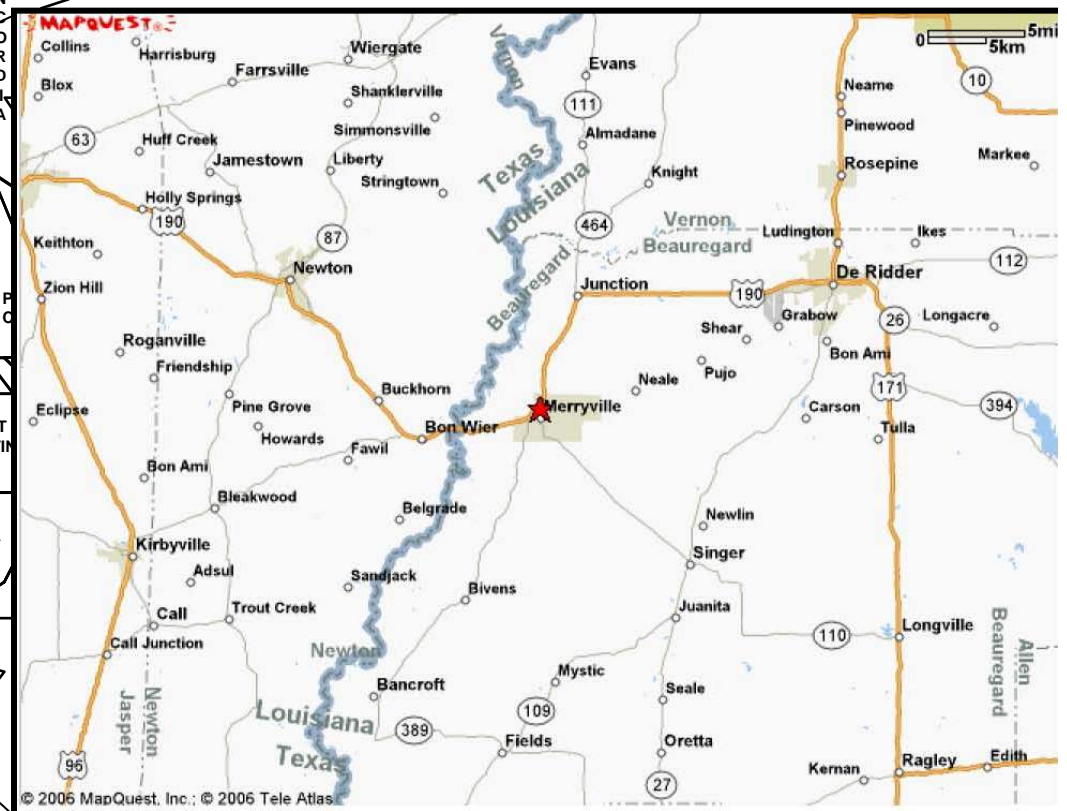


## Vicinity Location Map

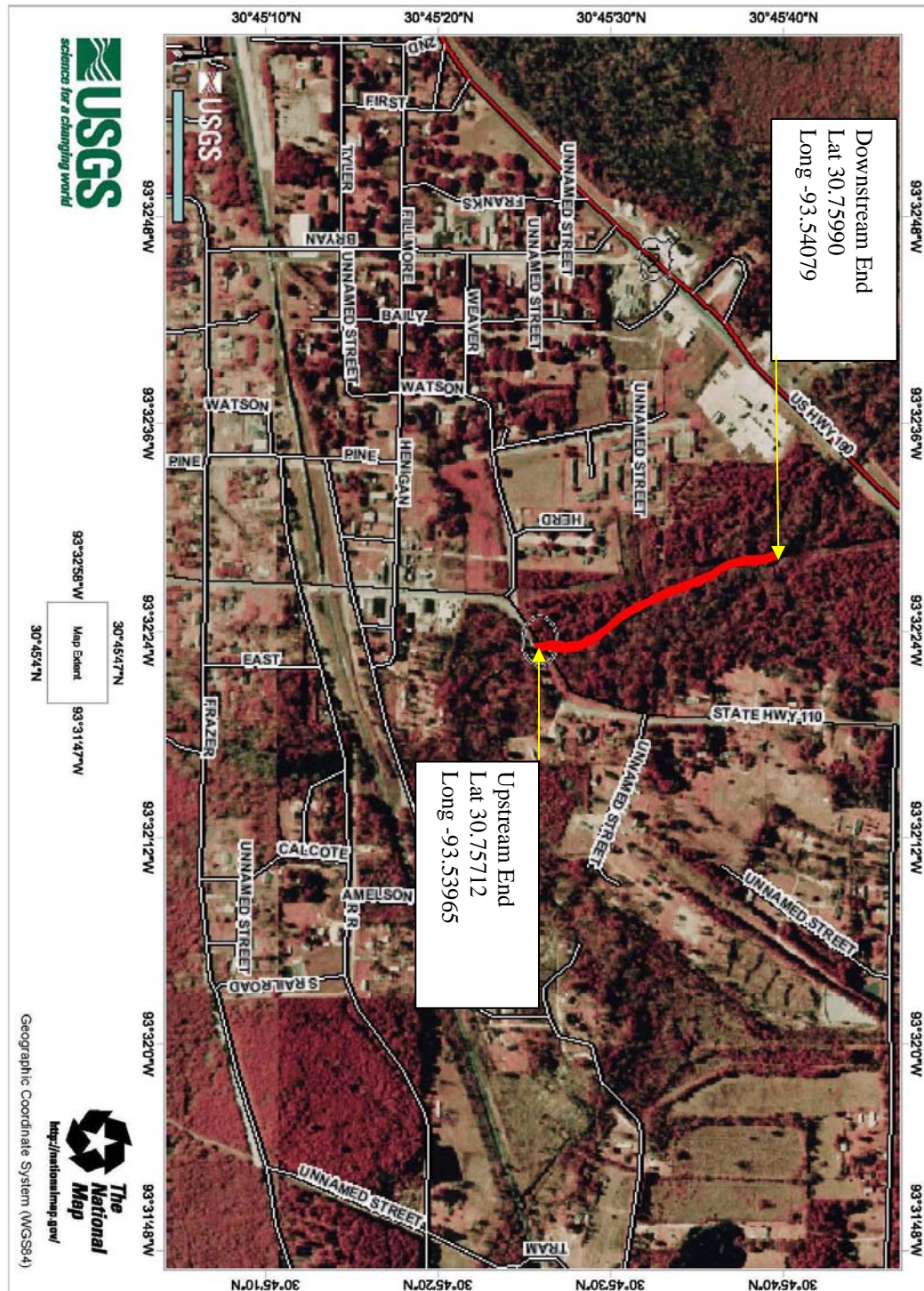
Beauregard Parish

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Merryville Drain



SITE MAP  
DSR 011-05-015R  
Merryville Drain  
Beauregard Parish

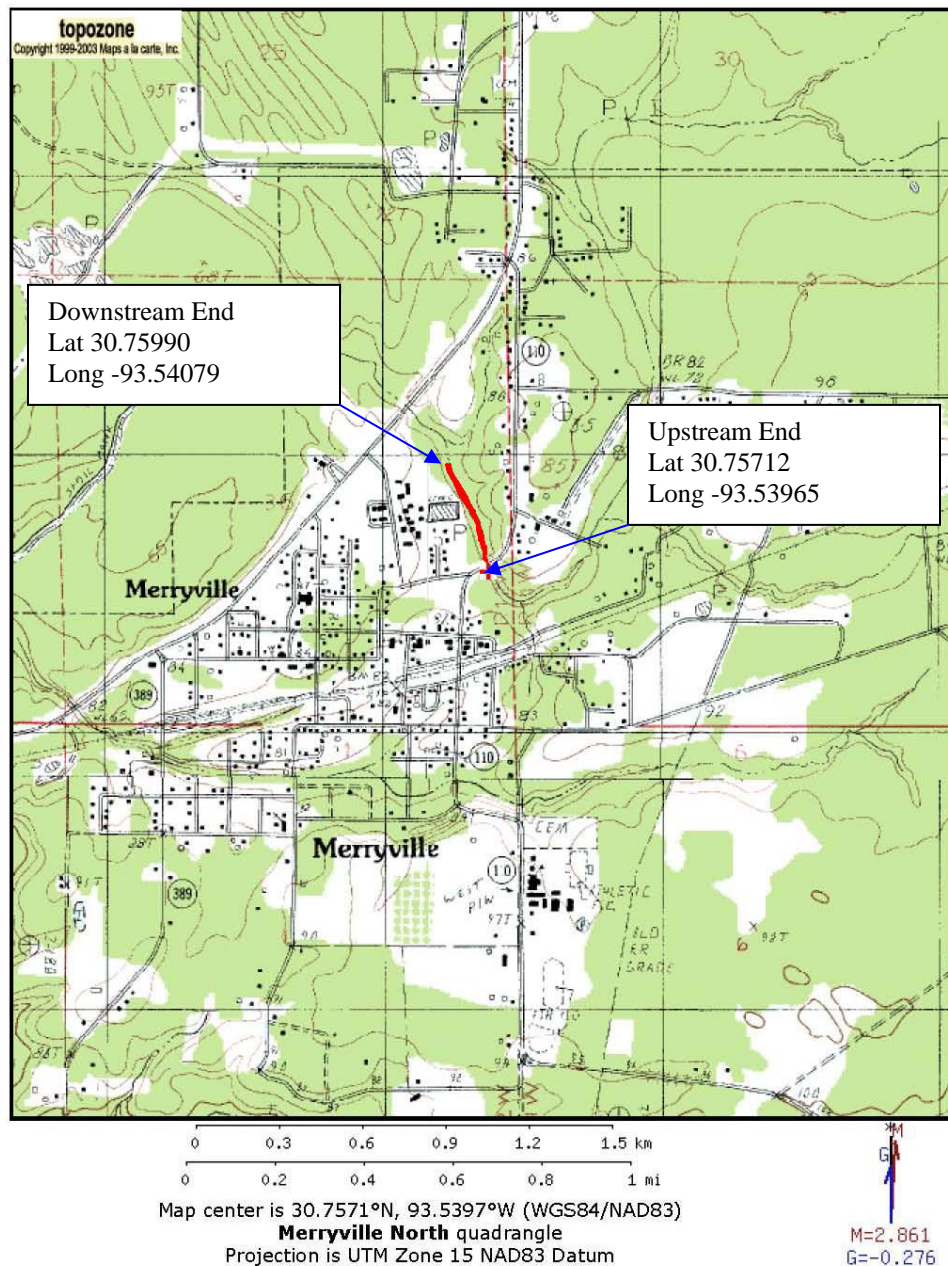




TOPO MAP  
DSR 011-05-015R  
Merryville Drain  
Beauregard Parish

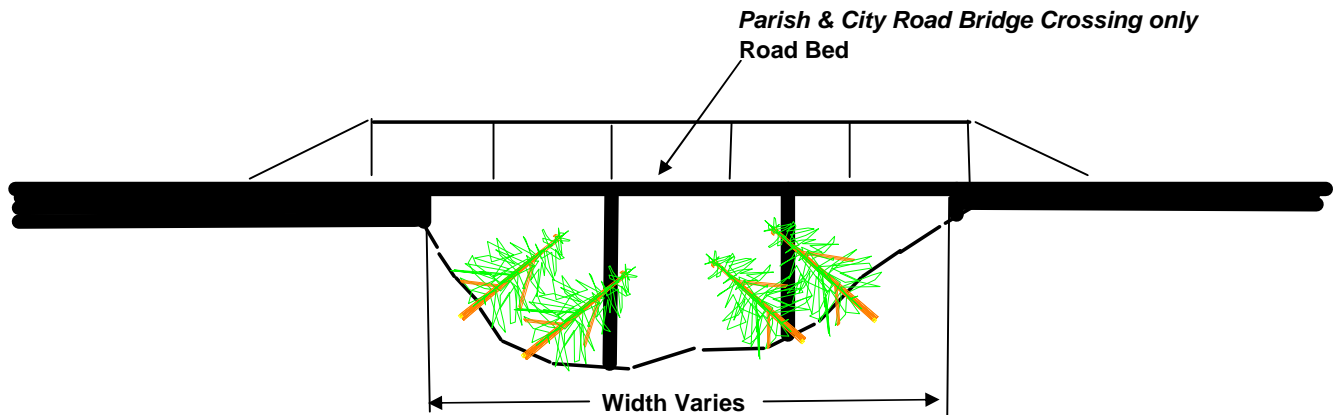
TopoZone - The Web's Topographic Map

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## Debris Removal



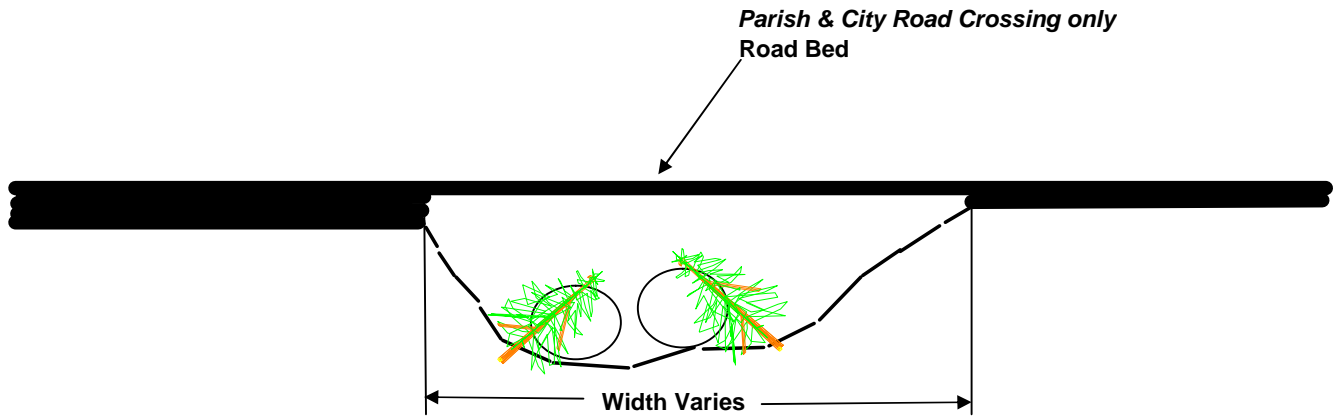
**Note:** Contract is to remove Debris from upstream and downstream Bridge which includes underside of bridge

**Exception:** All Crossing which cross State or Federal highways are not included in contract

## Typical Road Bridge Crossing Not to Scale

Notice:  
48 Hours Before Digging  
Call 1-800-272-3020

## Debris Removal



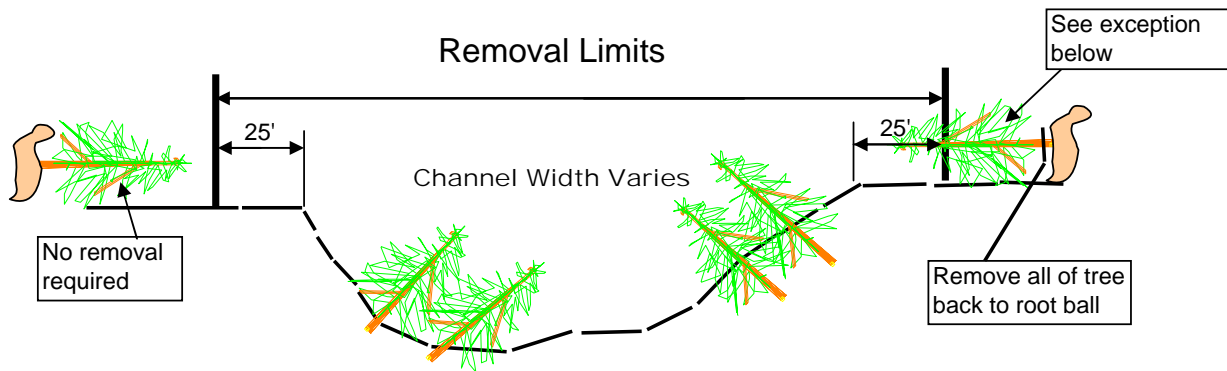
**Note:** Contract is to remove Debris from upstream and downstream Culverts which includes inside of culverts

**Exception:** All Crossing which cross State or Federal highways are not included in contract

## Typical Road Culvert type Crossing Not to Scale

Notice:  
48 Hours Before Digging  
Call 1-800-272-3020

## Debris Removal



Typical Section Not to Scale

Notice:  
48 Hours Before Digging  
Call 1-800-272-3020

**\*Note :** Access and work both sides; however work to be performed on one side only in any reach as concurred in by COTR.

**Exception** it may be possible that trees which were located outside of the the removal limits may have fallen into the removal limits, the entire tree will be removed back to the root ball even if only a portion of the tree is within the removal limits

DSR No:011-05-015R

Preferred Measure

Section 5 Engineering Cost Estimate Worksheet

Parish:Beauregard

Channel:Main Drain in town

Location:From Hwy 110 bridge DS 1025 LF

Completed By:Matt Pyle

Date:8-Mar-06

Type of Work: Debris Removal

Location of Work:

Township(s)	Range(s)	Section(s)	Quadrangle(s)
3 south	11 west	31	Merryville North

	Reach or Channel Seg		Reach or Channel Seg		Reach or Channel Seg	
	Latitude	Longitude	Latitude	Longitude	Latitude	Longitude
Downstream Start:	30.75990	93.54079				
Upstream End:	30.75712	93.53965				

Estimated Length of Work Segment (ft): 1,025 linear feet

Item No.	Proposed Recovery Measure	Quantity	Units	Unit Cost	Amount
1	Mobilization & Demobilization	1	LS	\$5,000.00	\$5,000
2	Channel Obstruction Removal	1,025	LF	\$13.30	\$13,633
3	Seeding, Sprigging and Mulching	1	AC	\$200.00	\$200
4					\$0
5					\$0

Note: Estimated cost of debris removal includes equipment, labor, hauling, and disposal of material.

Total Estimated Construction Cost \$18,833

Performance Time:

Production Rate	Segment Length	Production Time	Contract Time
175 Ft/Day	1,025 Ft	5.86 Days	8 Days
		Plus 2 Days Move In	

Estimated Cost of Equipment with Labor (Per Revised Costs by BAS 2-9-06)

Description of Work:	Heavy	Cost per LF
		\$13.30

Estimated Cost of Seeding with Labor

Segment Length	Segment Width	No.of Segment	Acres	Cost per Ac	Total Cost
1,025 Ft.	25 Ft.	1	1	\$200	\$200

Comments:

Selected Alternative involves working from North side of channel only and 25ft. of top bank and removing only debris obstructing channel section, NOT floodplains. Chip and burn ok. Disposal site for woody debris is 3 mi. south on intersection of hwys. 110 and 189

DSR No:		011-05-015R	Alternative Measure
Section 5 Engineering Cost Estimate Worksheet			
Parish:	Beauregard		
Channel:	Main Drain in town		
Location:	From Hwy 110 bridge DS 1025 LF		
Completed By:		Matt Pyle	Date: 8-Mar-06

Type of Work: Debris Removal

Location of Work:

Township(s)	Range(s)	Section(s)	Quadrangle(s)
3 south	11 west	31	Merryville North

	Reach or Channel Seg		Reach or Channel Seg		Reach or Channel Seg	
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# Channel Obstruction Evaluation

## SITE INFORMATION

Parish: <u>Breauxgard</u>	Site: <u>Main Channel through Merryville</u>
City: <u>Merryville</u>	Reach: <u>1025LE</u>
Sponsor: <u>Parish Police Jury</u>	From - <u>powerline crossing between Hwy 110 &amp; 187</u>
Date: <u>2/23/06, 3/6/06</u>	To - <u>Bridge right of way on Hwy 110</u>
Evaluation Team: <u>Matt Pyle, Joy Martin, Frank Chapman</u>	

## PHOTO NUMBERS AND BRIEF DESCRIPTION

Photo #	Description
2230060	<u>L.O.S. from Bridge</u>
2230061	<u>L.O.S. from Bridge - Hwy debris</u>

## WAYPOINTS

(CIRCLE location and record in Decimal Degrees)	
Start Work (D/S end)	N 30.75990 / 30.75712
Midstream	
End Work (U/S end)	W 93.54079 / 093.53965

## NEARBY AND UPSTREAM STRUCTURES

(Fill in Numbers, Values, and Size)

CHURCHES		SCHOOLS	PUBLIC FACILITIES	
No. of Churches		No. of Schools	No. of Public Facilities	
HOMESITES		BUSINESSES		
No. of Homesites		No. of Businesses		
Average Value of Homes (X \$1,000)	<u>15</u>	Size of Businesses	S M L	

## STREAM CROSSINGS

(CIRCLE type and write material, size and length)

TYPE	MATERIAL	NUMBER, SIZE, & LENGTH
<u>Bridge</u>	<u>Hwy bridges 404 - 21.5' x 10'</u>	
Culverts		
Other or None		

## UTILITIES

(CHECK the location of the utilities in the area and CIRCLE stream orientation)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Overhead (Power, Cable, etc.)	U/S	D/S
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Buried (Gas, Sewer, water, etc.)	U/S	D/S
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Elevated Cross channel (Water, Gas, etc.)	U/S	D/S
Remarks:	<u>High voltage lines overhead, 12" line across stream DS of Hwy 110</u>		

## CHANNEL CHARACTERISTICS

(CHECK appropriate box for slope and fill in dimensions information)

SLOPES		DIMENSIONS		FLOW	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1.5 : 1 or steeper	Top Width (ft.)		Is Water Flowing?	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1.5 : 1 through 3 : 1 Slope	Bottom Width (ft.)		YES	NO
<input type="checkbox"/>	Flatter than 3 : 1	Depth (ft.)		Is debris accumulating? (i.e. Leaves, Trash)	
				YES	NO

## STATEMENT OF PROBLEM

(CHECK the boxes as needed, and CIRCLE the size of debris that applies)

DEBRIS	IN CHANNEL	ACROSS CHANNEL	SIZE OF DEBRIS			BLOCKAGE	
Pine Trees						% of X-Section Obstructed:	
Hardwoods	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Light	<u>Moderate</u>	Heavy	Less than 25%	<u>26%-50%</u>
Shrubs						51%-75%	76%-100%
Other (explain) <u>Size of debris Hwy, some spacing</u>							

## WORK METHOD AND LOCATION

(CHECK the box that best applies)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Within Channel Floating Equipment (i.e. Barge or Marsh Buggy)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Within Channel Non - Floating Equipment (Excavator/Track-hoe, Spider, etc)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	From Top Banks

## ACCESS TO SITE

(Explain access issues and possible difficulties)

Access from US end on Hwy 110 - work from N side of channel  
to maximize debris removal

chip/burn ok  
Nearest woody debris removal site  
South of site ~ 3 mi. @ intersection of Hwy 110 & 187